

**morphy richards®**

## SpillMaster



Please read and keep these instructions



### ***Getting the best from your new attachment...***

#### **Use**

*This product is intended for picking-up liquids only. Picking up solid objects may cause blockages in the nozzle. If blockages occur, please detach and clean the SpillMaster as directed.*

*Do not cover the bleed holes when holding the attachment, otherwise there may be a risk of the cleaner overheating.*

*The SpillMaster must be attached securely and firmly to the vacuum cleaner hose or hose handle. It may be necessary to use one of the attachment adaptors, supplied.*

#### **Safety devices**

*If the unit is tipped over in use, safety valves will operate to prevent water escaping, no pick-up will be possible once these valves have operated. The valves will remain closed until the unit is returned to its correct upright position and the suction is switched off. Similarly, if the unit is overfilled, a float valve will operate, preventing any further pick-up. The suction must be switched off and the tank emptied before re-use.*

#### **Filter**

*Regularly remove, clean and dry the filter.*

#### **Cleaning**

*Empty and rinse the product with clean lukewarm water after every use. Leave to dry upside down for at least 24 hours or until completely dry before re-assembling the top unit to the tank. Do not place in or near heating appliances to dry.*



For replacement parts, help with using your Morphy Richards product, problems and lots more, contact us by phone or through our website.

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## **IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

The use of any electrical appliance or attachment requires the following common sense safety rules.

Primarily there is danger of injury or death and secondly the danger of damage to the appliance.

Please read these instructions before using the attachment.

### **Location**

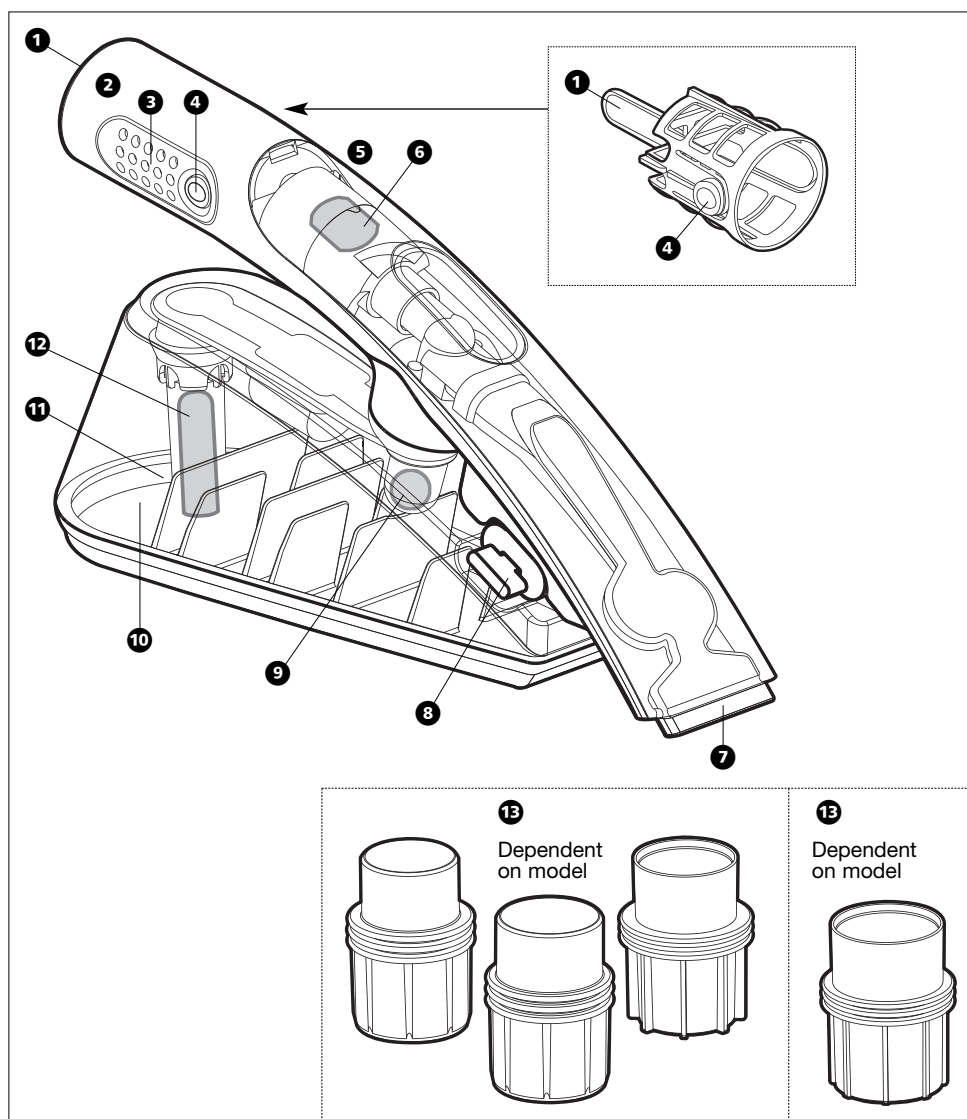
- This appliance is intended for domestic use only. Misuse or use for commercial or any other purpose will render the guarantee invalid.
- Do not use or keep this product outside.
- Do not store the appliance near hot surfaces, eg. ovens or heating appliances.

### **Personal safety**

- Do not touch the cleaner, cable or plug with wet hands.
- This product is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning the use of the product by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance or attachment.

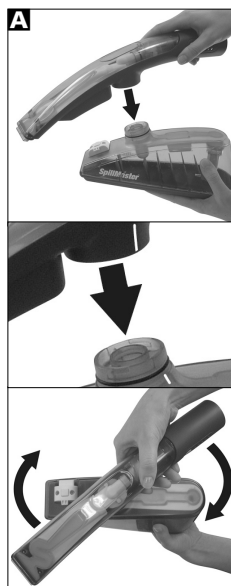
## **Product safety**

- Do not modify the product in any way.
- Use only as described in these instructions.
- Never attempt to pick-up solids. The SpillMaster is only designed to pick up liquids.
- Never pick-up inflammable liquids such as spirits.
- Never pick-up strong alkaline or acidic liquids such as bleach.
- Never pick-up volatile material such as copier toner.
- Never pick-up hazardous materials such as asbestos dust.
- Never pick-up very hot liquids such as boiling water.
- Never pick-up hot substances such as hot ashes.
- Keep the liquid away from the vacuum cleaner and the cleaner cable and plug.
- Ensure that the plug of the vacuum cleaner is removed from the socket outlet before cleaning or maintaining the appliance.



## FEATURES

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|--------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| 1 Filter                 | 5 Top unit                   | 10 Water tank  |
| 2 Hose / hose inlet      | 6 Tip-back safety device     | 11 Max fill line   |
| 3 Bleed holes            | 7 Nozzle                     | 12 Float safety device                                     |
| 4 Filter release buttons | 8 Water tank release button  | 13 Hose inlet adaptors (up to 4 sizes, dependent on model) |
|                          | 9 Tip-sideways safety device |  |



## ASSEMBLY

### Assembling the SpillMaster **A**

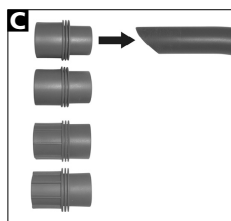
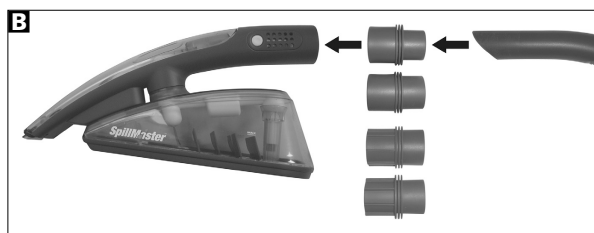
The SpillMaster may arrive in two parts.

To assemble the product, align the arrows on the water tank with the arrows on the top unit. Push the two parts together and rotate clockwise until the top part clicks into place.

### OPERATING THE SPILLMASTER

Depending on your model of cleaner, your SpillMaster may require an adaptor.

If required, choose the appropriate adaptor and fit as shown **B**.



### Attaching the SpillMaster to your vacuum cleaner

Assemble the vacuum cleaner according to its instruction booklet.

Ensure the vacuum cleaner is switched off before attaching the SpillMaster.

Attach the SpillMaster directly onto the vacuum hose with adaptor if required **C**.

It is not recommended to use any extension tubes when using the SpillMaster.

## USING THE SPILLMASTER

Turn the vacuum cleaner on.

Place the SpillMaster on the floor and tilt forwards so the nozzle touches the floor **D**.



You are now ready to pick up any liquid spills.

The SpillMaster can be used on all floor types but must only be used for liquid spills. It has not been designed to suck up solids.

For maximum effectiveness, use the SpillMaster in a steady, slow motion, pulling it towards yourself. Always ensure the SpillMaster is tilted forwards **E**.



Ensure only the nozzle touches the floor, so the water tank is not dragged through the liquid spill.

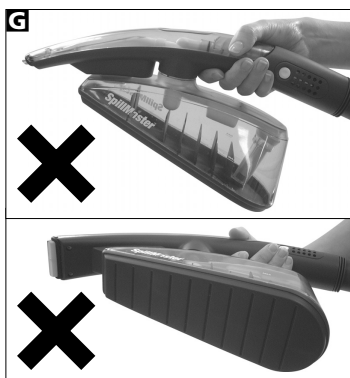
Backward strokes are more effective on deeper carpets.

## SAFETY FEATURES

As well as the hose filter, there are three other main safety features **F** which will cut off suction to the SpillMaster in the event of improper use:

If the SpillMaster is tilted backwards, a slug in the nozzle suction chamber will slide backwards, blocking the suction to the hose **G**.

If the SpillMaster is tilted sideways, a slug in the suction chamber connecting to the liquid tank will slide upwards, blocking the suction in the unit **G**.

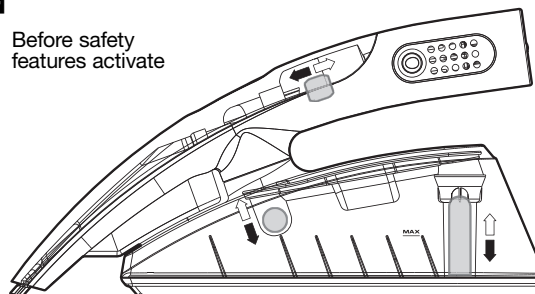


If the SpillMaster is overfilled with liquid, a float in the liquid tank will rise upwards, blocking the suction in the unit.

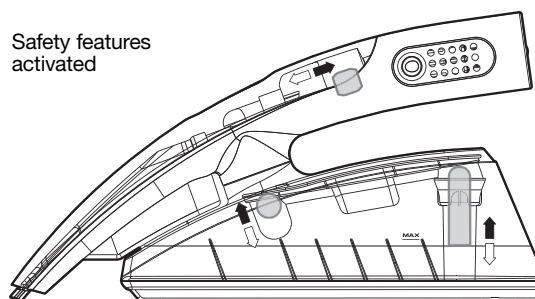
If any of the above occurs, turn off your vacuum cleaner immediately, empty the tank, reassemble the SpillMaster and resume use as described in 'Using the SpillMaster' section.

**F**

Before safety features activate



Safety features activated



## EMPTYING THE SPILLMASTER

Ensure the vacuum cleaner power is switched off.

Remove the vacuum hose from the SpillMaster.

Take the SpillMaster to a sink or drain to empty.

Press down on the tank release button with one finger **H**.

With the other hand, rotate the handle section anti-clockwise as far as possible **H**.

Pull upwards to separate the unit into its two parts.

Empty the contents of the reservoir by tipping it upside down over a sink or drain **I**.





## ■ **CLEANING THE SPILLMASTER**

It is recommended that the SpillMaster is regularly cleaned to prevent any build up of residue.

Remove the filter by squeezing the two white areas with a finger and thumb and pull the white tab until the filter is clear of the product **J**.

Separate the SpillMaster into its two parts as described in the 'Emptying the SpillMaster' section.

Empty the contents of the base unit over a sink and then rinse the reservoir with lukewarm water to remove any residue.

Leave to dry upside down for at least 24 hours or until completely dry **K**.

## ■ **HINTS & TIPS**

(also see 'Safety Features')

- The SpillMaster can be used on all floor types but must only be used for liquid spills.
- It has not been designed to suck up solids. If any solids have accidentally been sucked up, follow the advice in the 'Cleaning' section.
- Hold the SpillMaster ensuring the bleed holes are not obstructed **L**. If the bleed holes are covered, this could result in your vacuum cleaner over heating.
- Do not attempt to overfill past the max fill line. If overfilled, the float safety cut-out will be activated and the suction will cease.
- If the float is activated, switch the vacuum cleaner off and empty the reservoir. The float will drop back into its original position.



- After use, empty the contents of the water tank, clean and dry the product fully.
- Regularly check that the filter is not blocked, dirty or damp. If the filter becomes dirty, rinse in lukewarm water and leave to dry fully before re-use.
- If the filter becomes damaged, it must be replaced. Call our helpline for replacement parts.
- When carrying the SpillMaster to the sink, ensure it is kept horizontal to prevent any spillage.

## ■ **PRODUCT STORAGE**

- When finished, do not store near any heat sources.
- Store in an upright, flat position.
- Only store when dry.

## ■ **HELPLINE**

If you have any difficulty with your appliance, do not hesitate to call us.

**We are more likely to be able to help than the store from where you bought it.**

Please have the following information ready to enable our staff to deal with your query quickly.

- Name of the product
- Model number as shown on the underside of the appliance.
- Serial number as shown on underside of the appliance.

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## YOUR TWO YEAR GUARANTEE

It is important to retain the retailer's receipt as proof of purchase. Staple your receipt to this back cover for future reference.

Please quote the following information if the product develops a fault. These numbers can be found on the base of the product.

**Model no.**

**Serial no.**

All Morphy Richards products are individually tested before leaving the factory. In the unlikely event of any appliance proving to be faulty within 28 days of purchase, it should be returned to the place of purchase for it to be replaced.

If the fault develops after 28 days and within 24 months of original purchase, you should contact the Helpline number quoting Model number and Serial number on the product, or write to Morphy Richards at the address shown.

You may be asked to return a copy of proof of purchase.

Subject to the exclusions set out below (see Exclusions), the faulty appliance will then be repaired or replaced and dispatched usually within 7 working days of receipt.

If you suspect a fault, follow the simple checks detailed below before retrying the appliance or calling the helpline.

- Check for blockages.
- Check the safety devices have not operated.

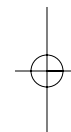
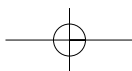
If, for any reason, this item is replaced during the 2 year guarantee period, the guarantee on the new item will be calculated from the original purchase date. Therefore, it is vital to retain your original till receipt or invoice to indicate the date of initial purchase.

To qualify for the 2 year guarantee, the appliance must have been used according to the instructions supplied.

## EXCLUSIONS

Morphy Richards shall not be liable to replace or repair the goods under the terms of the guarantee where:

- 1 The fault has been caused or is attributable to accidental use, misuse, negligent use or used contrary to the manufacturer's recommendations or where the fault has been caused by power surges or damage caused in transit.
  - 2 The appliance has been used on a voltage supply other than that stamped on the products.
  - 3 Repairs have been attempted by persons other than our service staff (or authorised dealer).
  - 4 The appliance has been used for hire purposes or non domestic use.
  - 5 The appliance is second hand.
  - 6 Morphy Richards are not liable to carry out any type of servicing work under the guarantee.
  - 7 The guarantee excludes consumables such as filters.
- This guarantee does not confer any rights other than those expressly set out above and does not cover any claims for consequential loss or damage. This guarantee is offered as an additional benefit and does not affect your statutory rights as a consumer.
  - This guarantee is valid in the UK and Ireland only.



For electrical products sold within the European Community. At the end of the electrical products useful life, it should not be disposed of with household waste.

Please recycle where facilities exist. Check with your Local Authority or retailer for recycling advice in your country.

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Morphy Richards has a policy of continuous improvement in product quality and design. The company, therefore reserves the right to change the specification of its models at any time.

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